

# PHYSICAL THERAPY BOARD OF CALIFORNIA Consumer Protection Services Program

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July 14, 2005

Citation No. 05-06-0130

Joseph Elumba, P.T. 28 Style Drive Aliso Viejo CA 92656

License No. PT 22423

#### **CITATION**

Information obtained by the Physical Therapy Board of California (Board) has determined that actions taken by you have violated sections of the law regulating the practice of physical therapy.

A Citation is hereby issued to you in accordance with Section 125.9 of the Business and Professions Code for the violations described below.

The information obtained confirms that you aided and abetted the unlawful practice of physical therapy in that you allowed Mary Luddine, P.T.A. to work without a current physical therapist assistant license from September 30, 2003 through April 28, 2005 at Dynamic Rehabilitation in Burbank, California.

#### FIRST CAUSE FOR CITATION

1. Section 2660 (k) of the Business and Professions Code

The aiding and abetting to engage in the unlawful practice of physical therapy.

#### **ORDER**

Further, **you are ordered to pay a fine of \$ 100.00** to the Physical Therapy Board of California within 30 days after receipt of this Citation.

If you wish to contest all or any part of this Citation, complete the enclosed "Notice of Appeal -Request for Informal Conference" form and return it to this office within 10 days after receipt of this Citation. The date indicated on the order of abatement will be held in abeyance <u>only</u> for any violation(s) you wish to contest. The time to correct all uncontested violations will be adhered to as specified. In the alternative, you may, within 30 days after receipt of this Citation, request a <u>formal</u> administrative hearing before an administrative law judge under the Administrative Procedure Act.

FAILURE TO RETURN THE REQUEST FOR INFORMAL CONFERENCE FORM OR TO REQUEST AN ADMINISTRATIVE HEARING WITHIN THE TIME INDICATED WILL CONSTITUTE A WAIVER OF YOUR RIGHT TO ADMINISTRATIVELY CONTEST OR APPEAL THIS CITATION.

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FOR YOUR PROTECTION AND TO ASSURE PROPER CREDIT,
PLEASE RETURN THE COPY OF THE CITATION
AND NOTE THE CITATION NUMBER ON YOUR CHECK
OR MONEY ORDER.

July 14, 2005	
Date	
	Original Signed By:
	STEVEN K. HARTZELL
	Executive Officer



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### **ORDER OF ABATEMENT**

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Citation Against: <u>Joseph Elumba, P.T.</u>	Citation No.05-06-0130			
First Cause:				
Violations: Business and Professions Code Section	2660 (k) .			
Description:				
The aiding and abetting to engage in the unlawful practice of physical therapy.				
Order of Correction				
You are hereby ordered to abate this violation immediather violation.	diately and to cease and desist from			

Failure to comply with the provisions of this Citation and Order of Abatement within

30 days of receipt may result in further legal action.